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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

- 1. PTO-1449 [1.97(b)] - (within 3 months or prior to first Office Action)
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- 4. Petition, Certification & Petition Fee Payment [1.97(d)] - (before issue fee payment)

The following are submitted in the above-identified application in compliance with 37 CFR §§1.97 and 1.98:

- 5. A list of documents on form PTO-1449 together with copies of each identified document and a translation or a concise explanation of each non-English language document is enclosed.

This paper is submitted in accordance with:

- 6. 37 CFR §1.97(b) (within three (3) months of the application filing date or before a first Office Action on the merits).
- 7. 37 CFR §1.97(c) (before final Office Action or Notice of Allowance, whichever is earlier); and
  - 8. The required certification made in Item 11 below, or
  - 9. The \$180.00 fee specified in 37 CFR §1.17(p) for submission of this Information Disclosure Statement is authorized in Item 14 below.
- 10. 37 CFR §1.97(d) (before payment of issue fee); and

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a) This is a petition for consideration of the subject Information Disclosure Statement. The petition fee (\$130.00) required by 37 CFR §1.17(i) is authorized in Item 14 below.

b) The required certification is made in Item 11 below.

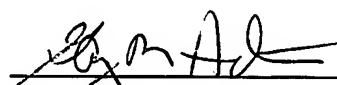
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12. Each item of information contained in this Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three (3) months prior to the filing of this Statement.

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## **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

## **FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

Examiner's Initials	Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation Yes   No
	GB 838,070	22.06.1960	Great Britain			Yes
	DE10110706	12.09.2002	Germany			No
	CD 321638	15.05.1957	China			No

**OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)**

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